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Readers of THE EVENING WORLD looking for the hot months should send in their addresses and have THE EVENING WORLD mailed to them regularly.

Hope that the Tariff bill will get out of the Senate this week wanes and wanes.

Let there be one great Good Government Club of all faithful New York citizens.

Pennsylvania's Democracy had an eye eagerly to the fulfillment of party pledges.

Is the lesson of the overloaded excursion boat to be thrown away this time, also?

There is the ring of good coin to the money plank in the Democratic platform in Pennsylvania.

The position of the Pullman strikers who the Company has made up its mind to fight and may now lie in it.

The remedy for New York's misgovernment lies in the hands of New Yorkers. To apply it they must act together.

The long pull and the strong pull tells at New London to-day. 'Rah, rah, rah, Harvard! Also, 'Rah, rah, Yale!'

The warmth of June's affection is more manifest as July approaches. Has the month of rare days a jealous eye?

When the North River is bridged, the time-worn joke about New Jersey being a foreign land will die a natural death.

The "straight" ticket man for the municipal campaign is an ally of the Central Power whether he means to be or not.

Even Capt. Ward's Giants are enlisted at last in the work of making a better New York. They have won two games at St. Louis.

The gas war in Brooklyn has brought prices down to 90 cents a thousand. Complaints of overworked meters may be confidently looked for.

One of the amusements for passengers on the Atlantic who recognize the returning ex-Capt. of New York will be that of wondering where Croker got it.

Unexercised, the good citizen's right to vote becomes a wrong. Make up your mind now to go to the polls in the coming Fall with a ballot for a better New York, and for rapid transit.

Thieves broke in and stole at Wesleyan Seminary while Dr. Dewey was in the very act of delivering an oration to the students. This is a sad reflection on the power of the Doctor's Summer oratory. Why was he not able to charm the marauders with his eloquence?

It was left for "The Evening World" to lead the way in the search for the lost tug Nicol, and for the bodies of those men who were missing after the boat went down. The example has been followed to-day, and a search by other parties, immediately concerned in the loss of the Nicol, is being carried on, based on the results of "The Evening World" expedition, which located the sunken boat.

"I know these things. I know that in my own personal experience, and I say it assuming the full responsibility of what I say, that it has not to be a question of bread and butter for a man to belong to Tammany Hall. I know that my own professional career has suffered through my opposition to Tammany Hall; that I have lost clients who have been told that I had no pull at court; that I was not a Tammany Hall man. I know of other members of my profession who have felt compelled to join Tammany Hall to earn their bread and butter; and I say that now on my own responsibility, and I have never said it before, that it is not possible for a lawyer practicing in the city of New York to acquire practice and earn a living purely on his merits, because Tammany Hall has made that impossible." This is Mr. Goff's testimony as counsel to the Lexow Committee. The words are strong. But they

tell nothing more startling than the things that the daily testimony before the Committee has been revealing. It is all a part of the answer to the question of where Croker got it and where Martin got it and where all the lesser bosses got it.

THE PRESIDENT OF FRANCE.

M. Castimir-Perier was yesterday elected President of the French Republic. The successor of the late President Carnot. The vote in the Electoral Congress was sufficiently decisive to indicate that the new President was clearly the people's choice, and to promise strength and influence to the new Administration. The vote cast was 431 for M. Castimir-Perier to 191 for the next highest candidate, M. Brisson, being a plurality of 240 and a majority of 43 of the total vote. M. Dupuy, who showed such coolness and courage when the bomb exploded in the Chamber, received only 90 votes.

The result of the election was no doubt due to the circumstances under which it was held. The new President was the one above all others to whom the people looked for a firm and determined policy against Anarchism, and the best proof of the wisdom of the choice is the anger and in some degrees the dismay of the Socialists at the result of the election.

The effect will be to give confidence to the people and to quiet the apprehensions of the timid who look for further trouble. There will be excitement and talk and threats and some disturbance no doubt. But the measures of the Government will be strong and effective, confidence in the stability of the Republic will be confirmed, and law and order will be upheld with a firmer hand.

AN ANGRY TRAVELLER.

Mr. Richard Croker is irritable and offensive now that he is about to take ship on his return to New York. It may be that he is displeased at the failure of the Lexow Committee to get out of the way at once and leave him free from the fear of a subpoena. But whatever the cause, the old leader seems to be as ready for a fight as he was years ago, and yesterday he exercised his quarrelsome propensities on an innocent Irish reporter, who mounted to the top of the coach and took a seat by his side on the trip from Killarney to Queenstown.

What is the trouble? What is going wrong? Is Mr. Croker really annoyed at the failure of the Lexow Committee to get out of the way in time for him to make sure of the fact before he embarks? Has he learned from home that it is Mayor Gilroy's intention to push right ahead with his Tammany reorganization despite the ex-leader's return? Something must have put him out of temper, and certainly no one has yet succeeded in squeezing out of him the desired information where he got it and where did it all come from.

BAD FOR DOCKMASTERS.

Among the developments of the Lexow Commission inquiry has been the fact that steamship companies and merchants have been in the habit of paying a bribe to dockmasters for the privilege of getting their ships docked promptly and at desirable docks.

Mr. McLarn, of the firm of Carter, Macy & Co., gave testimony before the Commission which clearly established this offense against certain dockmasters. But when called before the Dock Board, the witness refused to repeat his evidence.

Yesterday Mayor Gilroy sent for Mr. McLarn and made it clear to him that he would be compelled to testify under oath in the Grand Jury room, or before the Commissioners of Accounts, who would be directed to make an investigation, and be empowered by law to swear witnesses. The Lexow Committee and its counsel had protested against any proceedings being taken against persons accused before the Commission.

The inquiry was ended, as calculated to embarrass Mr. Goff's efforts, but in the case of blackmailing or dishonest dockmasters there could be no such objection, and they ought to be dismissed at once.

Mr. McLarn became convinced by the Mayor's threats and, he is to testify before the Dock Board to-day. Mr. Croker had better hurry home.

THE LEXOWITES AT WORK.

No great progress was made by the Lexow Committee yesterday, the evidence being cumulative and no new features being developed and no "star" witnesses, as Mr. Goff calls them, being called.

But there was a small breeze in the Committee-room growing out of the questioning of a witness who was said to have lost a position in consequence of having incurred the enmity of Tammany politicians. This, Mr. Cantor insisted, had no connection with political corruption, and he is to testify before the Dock Board to-day. Mr. Croker had better hurry home.

Mr. Goff indignantly repudiated the charge that politics had any part in the investigation, and charged that Tammany had no concern in the restriction of criminal law in the city, and hundreds of persons who had been subjected to oppression, extortion and blackmail hesitated to seek justice on that account. Mr. Goff had himself lost clients through the enmity of Tammany politicians because of the part he had taken in this prosecution.

A number of petty dealers declared that they had been systematically blackmailed by the police, and Wong Get, a Chinese gambler, swore to having paid for protection. But the police pronounce Wong Get the most Celestial liar in Chinatown.

A GLAD AND GORGEOUS YAWN.

A Brooklyn woman yesterday dislocated her jaw with a yawn. She is thirty-eight years old, and has been using the jaw all that time, and probably knows how to reef, tack and steer it as well as any woman in the land knows how to manage her maxillary process. But she gave it a little too much leeway yesterday morning in relieving her tired feeling, and when she tried to luff it up against the wind it wouldn't luff, so she had to go to the hospital and let the doctors take it.

We don't think this woman needs anybody's sympathy. Most people who read about her jaw-distorting achievement will wish they were in her place. This weather distributes a lot of weariness through the human system, and the man or woman who can yaw open off with ease and delight is to be envied. There are many of us yawning these days and nights, but we don't seem to be able to dislocate our jaws and let off enough of our tired feeling.

TOTS HELP THE TOTS.

Children the Mainstays of the Sick Babies' Fund.

A Small Contribution May Save Many Lives.

W. H. Taylor, of Scranton, Pa., Sends a Check for \$25.

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School closes to-morrow!

"The Evening World" wants every pupil from every school in the community to enjoy his or her Summer outing, and as a pleasant and promising beginning to give a thought to the members of the baby class. It wants just one thought from each scholar for the lambkins shut up in the sun-baked tenement-houses, who will not have any fun, who will miss all the luxuries of life and whose going away will have no return. The Sick Babies' Fund has sent physicians to visit 5,725 families and to inquire after the health of the little folks.

In those door-to-door visits of the devotedly popular blocks of the city, 4,562 tiny boys and girls were found in distress. Some had no clothes. One young man wore black thread earrings and a Nottingham lace overcoat; another young fellow New Yorker was dressed in a napkin; the poor chap had a bigger liver than he needed, and the doctor dubbed him the orange baby. There were seventy-seven tots who only wanted twelve ounces of good milk a day and a comfortable bed, and as their relatives could not supply them the visiting physician made them comfortable. Nearly 1,800 tiny invalids had to have free medicine.

On Monday evening was started, in the Summer of 1888, the babies have helped the babies. That help is sorely needed now, and the Sick Babies' Fund can spare a few of their blessings the Sick Babies' Fund will owe them eternal gratitude.

Clothing is wanted. Bales of little socks and socks may be sent to 28 East Twenty-first street, and Mrs. Roberts will see that not a garment goes to waste. The Sick Babies' Fund.

The cashier of "The World" will receive subscriptions of every denomination and promptly acknowledge them. It will be made in "The Evening World."

MIDSUMMER VAUDEVILLE.

Bonnie Thornton at Maennerchor Hall This Evening.

Don't miss the vaudeville entertainment this evening at Maennerchor Hall. Pretty and popular Bonnie Thornton will be there and sing the Sick Babies' Fund song. Registrar Ferdinand Levy will have some pleasant things to say, and after his little speech there will be a regular midsummer-night's dream of funny songs, character sketches and other things. The children are the stars of the evening. The children are the stars of the evening.

Bonnie Thornton, whose songs at the Madison Square Roof Garden were so much enjoyed, has kindly donated a hundred dollars in silver thrown on the stage for the Sick Babies' Fund during the two weeks of the vaudeville entertainment. The children are the stars of the evening.

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ITS CASHIER A THIEF.

German Conservatory Robbed of Over Three Thousand Dollars.

McEnany, the Trusted Employee, Broke Down When Caught.

Confessed in Court that He Had Lost All on the Races.

Playing the races has been the ruin of Neal McEnany, a bright young American of twenty-two years, of 30 East Forty-eighth street. He was committed for trial in \$3,000 bail this morning by Justice Feltner, at the Yorkville Police Court, on a charge of embezzlement and forgery.

During the past two years he has embezzled about \$3,000 from the New York German Conservatory of Music, 27 West Forty-second street, where he held the position of bookkeeper, cashier and secretary. His defalcations were discovered on Tuesday afternoon by one of the patrons asking for a receipt for money paid.

Prof. Louis G. Parmar, the manager of the Conservatory, happened to be present, and on referring to the books he could find no record of the amount having been paid. An investigation of the books at once followed and a shortage of \$370 was discovered between Sept. 19 and Oct. 1, 1893.

McEnany was at once charged with the theft. He confessed that he had appropriated the money, and that he had within the past two years, and that he had lost every cent of it by betting on the races.

The professor yesterday secured a warrant for the young embezzler's arrest, which was executed by Constable Jake Tucker. He found McEnany at the conservatory pleading for forgiveness. When placed under arrest, he was completely down and said that he would make all the restitution possible.

On Monday morning a check of \$10, committed last October, he was sent to prison to await the action of the Grand Jury in \$3,000 bail.

McEnany is also an opium fiend, and a strict watch is being kept over him to prevent him from doing himself any injury.

YOUNG FORGER CAUGHT.

Roach Confesses to Having Signed His Former Employer's Name.

The young forger who escaped after giving false cheques National Bank employees a good chase last Tuesday was caught yesterday and remanded in the Tombs Police Court this morning.

Detectives Golden and Montgomery made the capture and locked him up at Headquarters. He turns out to be Dominic Roach, twenty years old, a former clerk for Attorney Walter H. Mead, of 61 Wall street.

When in Mr. Mead's employ Roach fraudulently signed his name to checks at the Mechanics'. Since his discharge, a year ago, Roach is said to have forged the name of his former employer to the amount of \$250.

Roach told the police that he had an idea of his father's name, and that he committed the crimes to help him. He made a confession after he had been in the Tombs for some time, and would endeavor to have him sent to the Elmira Reformatory instead of State prison.

BOY BURGLARS CAUGHT.

Captured in the Act of Breaking Into a Confectionery Store.

Justice Feltner, in the Yorkville Police Court, this morning committed two boy burglars for trial. They were John C. Martin, seventeen years old, of 48 West Forty-second street, and John Keenan, aged eighteen, of 327 West Forty-eighth street. They were caught in the act of breaking into a confectionery store.

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JOCKEY BISHOP DEAD.

Fatally Injured in a Steeplechase at Sheepshead Bay.

San Jose Bolted and Fell on His Rider.

First Race of the Kind on the "Big Tracks" in Several Years.

William Bishop, the steeplechase rider, is dead. He rode San Jose, a hot favorite in the Coney Island Grand National Steeplechase at Sheepshead Bay on Saturday, and was thrown, receiving injuries which caused his death at 11 o'clock last night.

San Jose was in front and going easily, when the accident occurred. Something caused the horse to bolt and he left the course, crashed through the rail and fell on the dirt track with Bishop beneath him.

At the time it was believed that Bishop had not been severely hurt, but it was developed later that he had received internal injuries.

Bishop was twenty-three years old and lived in Twenty-eighth street near Jerome avenue, Gravesend. He was a native of New York, and was a member of the Jockey Club at Sheepshead Bay.

The steeplechase in which Bishop received his death wounds was the first of the season at Sheepshead Bay. It was a perfect safety and no one has yet been able to learn what caused the animal to bolt.

FATHER, BUT NOT HUSBAND.

George Woehler Refused the Custody of His Little Girl.

Supreme Court Justice Barrett has dismissed the habeas corpus proceedings brought by George Woehler against Mrs. Marie Christ, of 207 West Ninety-second street, to recover possession of his six-year-old child, Lizzie Woehler. In his petition Woehler alleged that his wife, Minnie Woehler, had deserted him and eloped with a young man, and that the child was left with her mother, Mrs. Christ, and that she was not a proper person to have possession of the child.

Justice Barrett appointed James J. Neale referee, and the hearing before him was held yesterday. He found that Woehler himself was not a proper person to have possession of the child on account of the cruel manner in which he treated his wife and child. He found that Woehler was a man of bad character, and that he was not a proper person to have possession of the child.

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